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August 2, 2013

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Attention: Jermaine R. Hannon

Attention: Ray Sukys

Dear Mr. Hannon and Mr. Sukys:

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has completed the review of the following amendment to the Fresno Council of Governments' (FCOG) 2012/13 – 2015/16 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP).

No Description

8 State, Local and Transit Elements

This amendment adds, modifies and deletes projects in the FCOG region with funding from the Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement Program, Regional Surface Transportation Program, State Bond-Public Transportation Modernization Improvement Program and State Highway Operation and Protection Program.

See enclosure.

FCOG has certified that this amendment is financially constrained, does not change air quality conformity, and meets the requirements of public involvement procedures adopted by FCOG.

Pursuant to the authority delegated to me by the Director of Caltrans, I approve FCOG's Amendment Number 8. I also recommend that the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and the FTA approved this FTIP amendment for inclusion into California's 2013 Federal Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (FSTIP). Approval of this amendment does not constitute an eligibility determination of projects for federal funding.

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Please address any question on this FSTIP approval request to Lilibeth Green of my staff, at (916) 654-3521.

Sincerely,

RACHEL FALSETTI

Chief

Division of Transportation Programming

Enclosures

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